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DUTCH DARWIN TULIPS

A selected group of the favored Darwin Tulip. Plant in beds, along borders or walks or in groups of ten to twenty for an attractive display of spring color. Choose your selection from the following:

AFTERGLOW—Rose, shaded apricot BLANCA—Beautiful pure white, ivory anthers ECLIPSE—Outstanding red, blue base GLORIA SWANSON—Bright raspberry red GOLDEN AGE—Excellent gold yellow, orange edge GOLDEN MEASURE—Canary yellow MARATHON—Lovely pink MADAME BUTTERFLY—Blue violet, paler edge

12 for \$1.15 50 for \$4.35 100 for \$7.95

SPECIAL DARWIN MIXTURE

Our supreme blend of the ever popular Darwin Tulip. Large bulbs that will produce excellent flowers in a wide variety of color.

12 for \$1.00 50 for \$3.50 100 for \$6.50

' INDIAN BREEDER TULIPS

So called because of their Indian names A most colorful collection of very large late blooming twlips. We offer three each of Delaware beautiful magneta; Huron, dark cherry red; Iroquois, carmine purple; Pontiac, mahogany red.

The collection of Twelve, \$1.75

LILY FLOWERING TULIPS

A Cottage Tulip of great artistic merit. Curved reflexed petals—long lasting in the garden or as a cut flower. A new note for your garden theme. CAPTAIN FRYATT—Sparkling ruby-red JEANNE DESOR—Orange-yellow, red edge

MARTHA—A rich deep rose
PICOTEE—Lovely white, carmine edge
STANISLAUS—Large vivid salmon-orange
THE BRIDE—Large broad pure white

6 for 75c 12 for \$1.40 50 for \$5.25

COTTAGE (May Blooming) TULIPS

So named because of their unlimited use around English cottages. Very large, long lasting—blooming after the Darwins.

CARRARA—Beautiful glistening white COLOR BEAUTY—Buttercup yellow, red edge DIDO—Fragrant salmon-red, crimson edge FIREFLAME—Red flames on a yellow ground HENRI CORREVON—Geranium red, white center MRS. J. T. SCHEEPERS—Finest clear yellow WORLD'S FAIR—Pink, broad white base

6 for 75c

12 for \$1.40 50 for \$5.25

SPECIAL 1-T

Twelve Cottage and Lily Flowering Tulips. Our selection of the above. 12 bulbs \$1.25

"SHOW SPOT" TULIPS

For those who like to present something a little "different" in their garden—something you can point to with pride—here is a group of tulips that have proved outstanding in our check plantings. (Items are not duplicated elsewhere under other headings).

IVORY PARROT—The only all white Parrot tulip. Ivory sheen. \$1.00 each 3 for \$2.75 SCARLET O'HARA—A Darwin as scarlet as

its name. 6 for \$1.25 12 for \$2.25 MAMASA—A truly fine deep yellow Darwin. Beautiful shape. 6 for \$1.25 12 for \$2.25

Beautiful shape. 6 for \$1.25 12 for \$2.25 ROSY WINGS—Salmon-pink Cottage unlike any

other tulip. Long, large flowers that are
very colorful. 6 for \$1.00 12 for \$1.85

MADAME MOTTET—A novelty Cottage tulip. Several crimson-rose flowers to each stem.

BLACK GIRL—The sensational "black" tulip.
Fine form 6 for \$1.00 12 for \$1.85

Fine form 6 for \$1.00 12 for \$1 JAPANESE LANTERN — Distinctly different. Salmon-rose, inside a brilliant rose and white, changing almost daily to a beautiful pink. Very lasting as a cut flower.

6 for \$1.00 12 for \$1.85

Note Stocks of Show Spot varieties are limited.

PARROT TULIPS

The unusual Parrot, exotic blooms, fringed, colorful and striking.

BLACK PARROT—Rare purple black. A really different flower,

30c each 3 for 80c 12 for \$2.75 MISS KAY—Rich glossy manogany-red flowers. Introduced by us in this area. It has

ers. Introduced by us in this area. It has proven outstanding.

3 for 75c 6 for \$1.40 12 for \$2.50 FANTASY—Salmon-pink, green markings

BLUE PARROT—Steel blue shaded violet
6 for 60c 12 for \$1.15 50 for \$4.20

ORANGE FAVORITE—Large orange fringed SUNSHINE—Bright golden yellow, deep fringe

THERESE—Fiery scarlet—a typical Parrot
6 for 90c 12 for \$1.60 50 for \$5.95

SPECIAL 2-T

Twelve Parrot Tulips including the Black Parrot and Miss Kay. Our selection.

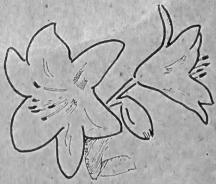
12 bulbs \$1.40

EARLY PEONY FLOWERED TULIPS

Fragrant double flowers similar to a peony. Early blooming, twelve inches high. Long lasting and excellent for cutting.

ELECTRA—Deep red MURILLO—Beautiful rose pink MR. VAN DER HOEFF—Primrose yellow ORANGE NASSAU—Bright orange-red SCHOONOORD—Splendid pure white

6 for 75c 12 for \$1.40 50 for \$5.25



World Famous Jan de Graaff IYRRID I

We highly recommend a planting of these easy-to-grow, fine flowering lilies. They provide the color for your garden after the tulips and daffodils have flowered. Our plantings rewarded us with weeks of bloom and pleasure. Our stock is received direct from the famed Jan de Graaff farms in Oregon arriving in early October.

brant glowing shade of rich colors 75c ea. 3 for \$2.00

HARMONY — Wide petalled sparkling	
orange shades\$1.25 ea.	3 for \$3.50
ENCHANTMENT—Nasturtium red on four foot stems75c ea.	3 for \$2.00
PAGODA—Upright flowers of richest apricot, deep green foliage \$1.00 ea.	3 for \$2.75
SUNSET—Up to twenty recurved red-tipped flowers for partial shade 60c ea.	3 for \$1.50
RAINBOW HYBRIDS—Gay yellows, orange and reds, mixed 60c ea.	3 for \$1.50
CENTIFOLIUM HYBRIDS—Fragrant pure white to ivory trumpets 65c ea.	3 for \$1.7
FIREFLAME—Vivid, sparkling Indian red, wide petalled\$1.75 ea.	3 for \$5.00
OTHER EXCELLENT LILIES	
PECALE Hardiest of all fragrant white trumpets flushed number 60c as	3 for \$1 50

SPECIAL 3-L

SPECIOSUM RUBRUM-Colorful rose-pink dotted with crimson

PHIL. FORMOSANUM—Slender, fragrant pure white trumpets TENUIFOLIUM—Brilliant coral red, recurved bells

MADONNA LILY—Pure satin white, delightful fragrance. Plant early ____

Six Jan de Graaff Lilies-One each of Mid Century Hybrid, Enchantment, Sunset, Pagoda, Rainbow Hybrid and Centifolum. The Six, \$3.75

RED EMPEROR TULIP

Still a champion in size and color! Blazing scarlet flowers to nine or more inches across. Early blooming.

6 for 85c

12 for \$1.70

50 for \$6.25

WILD TULIPS

One of the outstanding displays in our spring garden. These native Tulips of Asia from which all of our present day varieties have been derived are early blooming, distinct and charming. Excellent for rock gardens or group plantings. They afford many years of pleasure without being disturbed:

A selected collection of twenty-five bulbs Grouped and labelled

\$2.50

Descriptive list on request

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DUTCH SPRING-BLOOMING CROCUS

55c ea.

50c ea.

25c ea.

Always a favorite. One of the first spring flowers. Plant freely for colorful effect. Our special assortment of blue, white, yellow and striped is always in demand. Big bulbs

50 for \$2.50

MID CENTURY HYBRIDS-Mixed vi-

12 for 70c 100 for \$4.50

3 for \$2.25

3 for \$1.50

3 for \$1.40

6 for \$1.25

PRONTES

Vigorous roots with 3 to 5 eyes which will increase from year to year providing more and more bloom.

CHERRY HILL-Deep garnet, tall, very early \$1.40 each 3 for \$3.75

COURONNE D'OR-Pure white, red feather center KARL ROSENFIELD-Deep crimson, early

95c each

3 for \$2.60

MONS. JULES ELIE-Large bright pink, early \$1.20 each 3 for \$3.15

COVER YOUR GARDEN WITH GOLD

Before the snow drops—even before the Dutch Crocus! Plant these delightful species Crocus Susianus (Cloth of Gold) to lead the parade of color in your spring garden. They hug the ground and flower for many days. Plant in good soil that drains well and in a sunny spot. They will naturalize, providing years of golden bloom.

20 for \$1.00

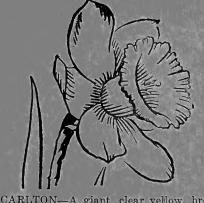
100 for \$4.50

. . . AND SILVER

Crocus versicolor-The silvery white variety, a companion to Cloth of Gold.

20 for 85c

100 for \$3.75



MRS. E. H. KRI CHEERFULNES GERANIUM-L per stem _ FORTUNE—Bes TWINK-Double MARY COPELA TRIANDUS AL BULBOCODIUN flowers a tri MOUNT HOOD QUEEN OF BIC DICK WELLBA EMERALD EYE DIANA KASNE ROSY TRUMPE for your roc ACTAEA-Large CROESUS-Rou NATURALIZINO

DAFFODILS

Daffodils are your number one investment for years of flowering bloom and enjoyment. A delight in the garden and always a favored cut flower. Prolific in growth, they increase from year to year. Many varieties can be grown indoors for winter bloom. Make your selection from these sound large bulbs.

KING ALFR HELIOS—Go	ED—Giant yellow, long trumpet lden yellow, short deep yellow	3-35c	12-\$1.25	
trumpet	Big, ivory perianth, deep gold-	3-35c	12-\$1,25	
en trump	pet —Pure white petals, ivory trum-	3-60c	12-\$2.00	
mag MRS. R. O. I	mificent BACKHOUSE—"The Pink Trum-	3-75с	12-\$2.50	
pet Daffe	odil''	3-60c	12-\$2.25	Ħ
giant clear wallow broad trumpet		3-40c	12-\$1,45	
ELAGE—White perianth, light yellow tru	umpet	3-45c	12-\$1.60	
SS-Three or more creamy double flower	rs, deep yellow center	3-30c	12-\$1.25	
Large pure white flowers, orange-red				
		3-45c	12-\$1.60	
st of type. Clear lemon-yellow, bold cu	p of copper-orange	3-50c	12-\$1.80	
le flowered, primrose yellow and orange,	excellent	3-60c	12-\$2.00	
AND-Double flowered, creamy white, dee	ep orange center	3-70c	12-\$2.50	
LBUS—Delightful "Angels tears", a beau M CONSPICUUS—"Hoop Petticoat Narc	ty spot for your rock garden	3-40c	12-\$1.40	Ser.
ifle over one inch long. Something diff	ferent for your rock garden	3-35c	12-\$1.20	
—Giant white trumpet. An immense flov		3-\$1.00	12-\$3.50	
COLORS—Early blooming golden yellow		3-75c	12-\$2.50	
AND—One of the best. Fiery, crinkled oran		3-45c	12-\$1.60	
E-Ivory cup, apple green center, snowy		3-70c	12-\$2.25	B
ER—Fluted golden cup, orange frill, crean ET—Star-shaped perianth, satin rose tr		3-35c	12-\$1.20	
ck garden or favorite nook		3-50c	12-\$1.80	0
gest poeticus, snow-white perianth, large	flat eye margined dark red	3-40c	12-\$1.40	
and primrose yellow perianth, wide orange		3-40c	12-\$1.40	
G MIXTURE—A good blend for mass pl	lanting	100	for \$5.95	

CHARMING MINIATURES

MUSCARI (Grape Hyacinth) 40c doz. 100 for \$2.50 MUSCARI ALBA—White $_$ 60c doz. 100 for \$4.25 60c doz. 100 for \$4.25 GALANTHUS (Snowdrops) SCILLA (Wood Hyacinth) Mixed 50c doz. 100 for \$3.75 ERANTHIS (Winter Aconite) 65c doz. 100 for \$4.50 CHIONODOXA—Blue, white 50c doz. FRITILLARIA MELEAGRIS 50 for \$1.75

Checkered lily. Mixed __ 60c doz. 100 for \$4.25 5 RETICULATA _____ 3 for 25c 12 for 75c IRIS RETICULATA _ IXIA (African Corn Lily) Hardy with

heavy winter protection. Good for cutting. Colorful mixture _____ 12 for 50c

FERTILIZER

We recommend bone meal as the safe fertilizer for your flower bulbs.

> 10 lbs. \$1.25 50 lbs. \$4.25

ORGANICS

Natural minerals for soil improvement. Use for gardens, lawns, trees, flowers.

We carry the following in stock: ROCK PHOSPATE

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FOR YOUR WINDOW GARDEN
OXALIS—Pacific, winter flowering 12 for 75e OXALIS—Tuberous, pink, ever blooming 3 for 60e OXALIS—Tuberous, white variety 3 for 75e CALLA LILY
Yellow flowers 50c ea. 3 for \$1.35 CALLA LILY
Wax white flowers 45c ea. 3 for \$1.25
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VIRGINIA BLUEBELLS

Mertensia Virginia-Delightful Spring flowerering perennial with attractive pink and blue flowers. A must for your shady garden spot.

3 Strong Roots \$1.00

CRIMSON GOBLET TULIP

Eichleri-One of the most brilliant wild tulips. Early to bloom, not too tall and a flower of goblet shape in crimson-scarlet with a jet black base vellow margined.

12 for \$1.20 50 for \$4.50

DUTCH IRIS

Jan de Graaff Oregon grown spring blooming Dutch Iris. Mixed colors of finest blue, white and vellow.

12 for 85c

50 for \$3.00

SPECTACULAR NEW **DUTCH HYACINTHS**



Customer response to our introduction of these glorious new varieties of Dutch Hyacinths confirms our belief that we are offering the finest in traditional heralds of Spring and Easter. Fragrant, colorful and beautiful for indoor and outdoor blooms. Naturally, our supply will be limited.

BLUE HORIZON-Scabiosa blue CARNEGIE-Immense white JAC VELDE-Enchanting pink

30c each

12 for \$3.00 6 for \$1.60

FLEUR D'OR-Bright new yellow NANKEEN-Orange-vellow

12 for \$3.50 35c ea. 6 for \$1.90

CYCLOP-A fresh strawberry red. Really a new color in Hyacinths.

45c ea. 6 for \$2.50 12 for \$4.50

BEDDING HYACINTHS

Smaller bulbs of selected varieties for borders or rock gardens. Blue, white, pink or mixed.

12 for \$2.25 50 for \$8.00 100 for \$15.00